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To: Brenda Crockett
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Subject: Re: Juvenile Expungement

The court should charge for certified copies. In the adult system, the statute specifically says that the court cannot charge fees for an expungement of a dismissed charge. However, the juvenile court act does not contain a similar restriction. So I think the court is safe, and is perhaps required, to charge the certification fee for all certified copies, in all expungement cases.

>>> Brenda Crockett 05/24/04 02:47PM >>>
Hi Brent -

I need your advise. The Juvenile Court Clerk CQR Committee is currently working on the Expungement procedure and have a couple of questions that we need direction on. First - in the statute it indicates that the petitioner shall send a certified copy of the order to all of the agencies that referred them to court. The question is do we charge the petitioner for certified copies, rather it be 1 or multiple copies of the order. In talking to Paula Bandle she indicated that District Court charges for all certified copies they give to the petitioner. My second question is - does the Juvenile Court charge a filing fee if the incident is dismissed? Again in District Court they do not charge the petitioner if the proceeding was dismissed.

would appreciate any assistance you can provide.

Thanks
Brenda

CC: Fred Jayne